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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend the application as follows:

In the specification:

Replace the paragraph beginning at page 47, line 25 with the following rewritten paragraph:

A molecular formula of an EL material (coumarin pigment) reported in the above paper is as follows:

Replace the paragraph beginning at page 48, line 5, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A molecular formula of an EL material (Pt complex) reported in the above paper is as follows:

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Replace the paragraph beginning at page 48, line 12, with the following rewritten paragraph:

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REMARKS

Claims 1-22 are pending in this application with claims 1, 2, 9, 10, 11, and 12 being independent. No new matter has been added.

Attached is a marked-up version of the changes being made by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "<u>Version with markings to show changes made."</u>

The examiner is invited to contact the undersigned with any questions at the number set forth below. Please apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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In the specification:

The paragraph beginning at page 47, line 25, has been amended as follows:

A molecular formula of an EL material (coumarin pigment) reported in the above paper is as follows:

[[Chemical Formula 1]]

The paragraph beginning at page 48, line 5, has been amended as follows:

A molecular formula of an EL material (Pt complex) reported in the above paper is as follows:

[[Chemical Formula 2]]

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The paragraph beginning at page 48, line 12, has been amended as follows:

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A molecular formula of an EL material (Ir complex) reported in the above paper is as follows:

[[Chemical Formula 3]]